MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1936.

A total of 19 attacks with 9 deaths from Plague was returned during the week against 16 attacks with 3 deaths in the previous week. Bangalore City reported 1 attack with nil death while Mysore City and Kolar Gold Field Area remained free from the disease. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1935 and 1934 were 20 attacks with 10 deaths and 147 attacks with 76 deaths, respectively.

A total of 13 attacks with 4 deaths from Small-pox was reported from one village in Malvalli Taluk and Shimoga Town.

Forty attacks with 25 deaths from Cholera were reported from one village in each of Malvalli, Chamarajnagar and Haribar Taluks, seven villages from Davangere Taluk and from Mysore City.

Two fatal cases from Influenza were reported from the Cities of Bangalore and Mysore.

The State remained free from Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 82 (14 in hospitals), representing a calculated death-rate of 21·19 (17·57 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 33·45 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—3 under other Fevers, 12 under Phthisis, 10 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa, and 57 under all other causes. The reported mortality was low.

During the week, the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 81 deaths (13 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 29·61 (24·85 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 34·80 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths were—Broncho Pneumonia 2, Pneumonia 5, Typhoid 2, other Fevers 2, Phthisis 6, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 9, and all other causes 55. The mortality was normal.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 45 (13 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 19·57 (13·91 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 28·00 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—1 under Cholera, 1 under Typhoid, 1 under other Fevers, 6 under Phthisis, 8 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 28 under all other causes. The reported mortality was low.

There were 57 deaths (3 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Field Area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 35·41 (33·54 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 40·25 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered—1 under Malaria, 2 under Typhoid, 4 under other Fevers, 1 under Phthisis, 11 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 38 under all other causes. The mortality was normal.

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF INSPECTOR OF FACTORIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of cotton pressed in the Mysore State for the week ending 9th October 1936.

(Section 5-II.)

Name of the Division or Block	Number of bales pressed		Number of bales pressed		Remarks
	During the week	During the corresponding week of last year	Since the commencement of the season, 1st September 1936	During the corresponding period of last year	
1	2	3	4	5	6
Mysore State ...	210	140	901	392	

BANGALORE,
Dated 27th October 1936.

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